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PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT & ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
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TO: Will Reid, Assistant Chief Engineer of Operations

FROM: *RP* Ronnie Porter, Director, Program Development and Administration Division

SUBJECT: **Proprietary Item Request and Justification for the City of Martin for Lighting and Receptacles**

I, Ronnie Porter, Director of the Program Development and Administration Division, request approval for the City of Martin to be certified to utilize the following proprietary item(s) over the next three years, where Federal funding is used:

Eagle EPAC controllers by Siemens

Justification

Per the Code of Federal Regulations 23 CFR 365.411, this item is essential for the synchronization with existing facilities. The City's inventory of existing equipment is comprised primarily of the Eagle EPAC controllers. There are twelve traffic signals within the Martin city limits, ten of which currently use Eagle EPAC controllers. The City of Martin keeps an inventory of parts for the Eagle series of controllers. Their Traffic Signal Technicians have undergone extensive technical training for trouble shooting, programming, and maintaining these controllers.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact **Nate Brugler at (615)532-4415** with the Local Programs Development Office or at Nathaniel.Brugler@tn.gov.

I, Ronnie Porter, Program Development and Administration Division Director, of the Tennessee Department of Transportation, do hereby certify that in accordance with the requirements of 23 CFR 635.411(a) (2) that the patented or proprietary item(s) as listed above is essential for the synchronization with existing facilities or no equally suitable alternative exists for this patented or proprietary item as listed above.

[Signature] Director, Traffic Operations
Recommendation for Approval

[Signature]
Assistant Chief Engineer of Operations

2/6/17
Date

City of Martin

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October 24, 2017

Ms. Whitney Sullivan
Transportation Manager
TDOT Enhancement Section
Suite 600, James K. Polk Bldg.
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Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Proprietary Item Request and Justification
SR-372 (US-45E/North Lindell Street/Elm Street)
TDOT Pin No. 125073.00, TLM Project No. J-5888

Dear Ms. Sullivan:

The City of Martin is requesting a certification to specify Eagle EPAC controllers by Siemens to be used as part of the design component for the STBG Signal Replacement Project.

The City's inventory of existing equipment is comprised primarily of the Eagle EPAC controllers, we keep an inventory of parts for these controllers, and our Traffic Signal Technicians have undergone extensive technical training for trouble shooting, programming, and maintaining these controllers.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (731) 587-3126.

Sincerely,

Randy Brundige, Mayor
City of Martin